

## FIX VOTING PLACES.

THE COUNCIL TO MEET THIS EVENING FOR THIS PURPOSE.

Ladies as Paperers—They Were Sent On to Carolina—News of the City Hall Courts.

The Board of Aldermen will convene in the Council chamber at 5 o'clock this afternoon, and the Common Council will assemble two hours later, for the purpose of fixing the voting-places for the election to take place here next month. It is likely that there will be several changes from the old polling-places, as more room is now needed.

The Council Committee on Claims and Salaries will meet at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon. Among the matters to be considered is the petition of Mr. H. L. Deacon for a rebate of \$5, which he claims the city has overcharged him for water during the past five years.

LADIES AS PAUPERS.

The Southern Railroad Company was charged in the Police Court yesterday with importing paupers into Richmond. The case was quite a sad one in which two men, Mrs. Anna E. Sampson of North Carolina, known as "the poor preacher," and Mrs. Anna D. Stabler, of Maryland, Mrs. Stabler had visited this city several times during the summer, and no difference is noted in the total business done at that period, there is on foot a move to continue the circulating among the business-men to this effect and is being numerously signed.

Lecture on Physical Culture.

Miss Katherine C. Jones, of Ohio, will deliver a lecture for the benefit of the teachers of the public schools of the city on "Physical Culture," in the Central School building this morning at 10 o'clock. Subject: "Physical Culture a Practical Part of School Work." Miss Jones is a graduate of several State universities, and specially endorsed by the author of the system she teaches—Miss Louise Pease, of Indiana.

Banks to Close Tuesday.

The meeting of the officers of the Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical Society at the banks will close on Tuesday, the opening day of the Exposition. It is requested that paper maturing on that day be attested.

Contract for the Booths.

The City Electoral Board have awarded to Thomas E. Stagg the contract for the voting booths and annexes for the meeting of the State Convention. The booths will not less than sixty annexes. The booths will cost \$3.50 and the annexes \$2.50 each.

DISSIPATION KILLS.

Too Much Pleasure the Tendency of the Day.

We Exert Ourselves in Many Ways More Than We Ought.

A Valuable Rule Which It Will Pay You to Follow.

There never was a time when Diseases were so numerous as now. And we bring ourselves by careless living.

The system cannot stand everything, and it will surely end in time. One of the most common ailments is rheumatism, it indicates bad blood all over the body.

It may be cured by expert diagnosis, or, worse still, it is a dangerous

disease to neglect, as it often involves other organs, especially the heart.

There is a way to be cured of it and all other chronic diseases, and it never fails.

Here is a simple positive

method of it. Mr. M. J. Frithall, a well-known man of Waterbury, Vt., writes as follows:

"About three years ago I was attacked by severe rheumatism. It was said that when I lay down in my bed, and made my dress down to my neck, and made my most intense suffering whenever I was attacked by it. I was confined to the house.

"I was terribly worried over my condition, and began to think I should never recover, even from an eminent doctor, but got no permanent benefit from them, nor Dr. Greene's Nervous blood and nerve remedy advertised, and concluded to try it, as I knew it was highly recommended.

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TO HAVE A JUMPING CONTEST.

Substituted for the Proposed General Military Drill.

At a meeting of the Argument and Privileges committee of the Virginia State Legislature, the Mechanical Society, Dr. James Murphy (chairman), Wadsworth, Vikings, Guy, Wickham, Wood, Loraine, and Grant were present. President Wood stated to the meeting that the "competitive" drill did not interest him, and that the limit for entries had expired. He said that the competition would come from Virginia and one from Washington, but that the rules of the contest provided that entries from outside companies from outside the States of Virginia and North Carolina.

The propriety of holding the contest was discussed, and it was decided not to do so, as the Virginia companies entering had also entered, and it was decided to have a jumping contest under the auspices of the Deep-Ran Club, and the limit of entries was agreed upon.

James Palmer charged with malicious intent to injure, was fined \$100 and required to pay for sixty days and fined 1 cent.

Grain Harcourt, charged with the same offense, was fined \$100.

Timothy and Peter Jackson were each fined \$30 for carrying concealed weapons.

John W. Jackson was fined \$10 and sent to jail for one hour for shooting a pistol in the public streets.

Fine of \$10 was sent to jail for five days, and Addison Lewis thirty days for petit larceny.

The case of Coleman, administrator vs. the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company, was concluded in the Law and Equity Court yesterday. The plaintiff and defendant agreed to a settlement and assumed the damages at \$6,000, subject to the opinion and judgment of the Court upon its decision.

The suit was brought in this court by Merritt R. Wallace against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for damages.

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PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE MERCHANTS' NATIONAL BANK, AT RICHMOND, IN THE STATE OF VIRGINIA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, OCTOBER 1, 1894.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts..... \$ 925,759.57

General stocks, secured and unsecured..... 4,928.02

United States bonds to secure circulation..... 200,000.00

Private and foreign bonds to secure circulation..... 100,000.00

Fremonts on United States bonds..... 14,000.00

Stocks, securities, and bank notes, etc., for safe keeping, furniture and fixtures..... 86,150.00

Debt from national banks not received..... 79,500.00

Bank notes approved and issued..... 21,738.42

Checks and other cash items..... 349,675.00

Exchanges for gold and silver, and bank notes, etc., for safe keeping..... 363.45

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Lawful money reserve in bank..... 763.12

Specie..... \$35,563.50

Legal tender notes..... 14,925.00

Redemption fund with United States Treasurer (5 percent of circulation)..... 9,000.00

Total..... \$1,029,553.88

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid-in..... \$ 200,000.00

Surplus fund..... 200,000.00

Undivided profits, less expenses..... 31,005.00

National bank notes outstanding..... 180,000.00

Due to other national banks, etc., for safe keeping and safe deposit boxes..... 181,800.00

Dividends on stock held by others..... 201,600.00

Individual deposits subject to withdrawal..... 484,100.00

Deposits in trust..... 143,007.00

Cashier's checks out..... 13,212.16

Postage, telegraph, etc., etc..... 4,535.40

United States deposits..... 642,172.59

Deposits of United States Treasury officers..... 188,216.54

Total..... \$1,029,553.88

STATE OF VIRGINIA, CITY OF RICHMOND, SE.

John E. Nash, Casper of the above-named firm to solemnly swear that the above named is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. F. GLENN, Casper.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of October, 1894.

J. W. LOCKWOOD, Jr.

CORRECT—Attest:

ANDREW P. BRIZZINI, Jr., Director.

A. S. BURFORD, Director.

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Half Year Meeting of Friends.

The half year meeting of the Society of Friends will commence here to-day with a meeting of the officers of the various subordinate meetings at 10 o'clock P. M. To-morrow there will be two meetings

FIRE ON FOURTEENTH STREET.

The Stock of Messrs. Jeffress & Shelton Considerably Damaged.

Shortly after 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon, just as he was preparing to close his establishment for the night, Mr. Shelton, of the firm of Jeffress & Shelton, tobacco-supply dealers, at Nos. 109 and 111 south Fourteenth street, discovered flames emanating from the drying-room on the third floor of their establishment.

An alarm was quickly given to the fire department, and the flames, which had gained considerable headway, on the door in which they originated, were soon gotten under control.

Mr. Jeffress states that his firm carried about \$10,000 worth of stock. He could place no estimate on the damage, which is principally by water, and owing to the susceptible nature of the stock, will be quite large. The insurance in several foreign companies, and is placed

through the Security Bank. The loss, he thinks, is fully covered. The building is owned by Mr. Isaac Davenport, and is not insured.

The office of Messrs. J. D. & R. S. Christian, immediately adjoining the burned property, was damaged to the extent of about \$100 by water.

SHIPPING PIPE TO PORTLAND.

Lynchburg Lighting Plant.

LYNCHBURG, VA., October 5.—(Special)—The Glomarons Works shipped to-day seven carloads of pipe to Portland, Maine.

The meeting of the City Council today was determined by a vote of 8 to 7 to issue \$60,000 of 6-per-cent, bonds for the purpose of establishing an electric-lighting plant to be owned and operated by the city.

George Haylett, who shot Jim Scott (colored) on September 2d at Lexington, was acquitted yesterday.

Mr. W. H. Thompson, of the firm of

McGraw & Thompson, of New York, and

Miss Anna D. Stabler, of Maryland,

had visited this city several times during the summer, and every time the two parties had dinner together, and the department responded promptly. They had gained considerable headway, on the door in which they originated, were soon gotten under control.

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